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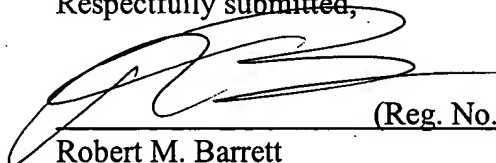
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On January 9, 2001, Applicants submitted an Information Disclosure Statement for the above-identified patent application. The Information Disclosure Statement included a Statement Under 37 C.F.R. 1.97(e)(1) stating that each item of information contained in the Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign Patent Office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the Information Disclosure Statement. The Patent Office has sent a communication dated May 2, 2001 stating that the Information Disclosure Statement was not considered because it lacked a petition as well as a petition fee. Applicants hereby petition for consideration of the Information Disclosure Statement. Also, Applicants are attaching hereto a check in the amount of \$180.00.)

Applicants respectfully submit that this Information Disclosure Statement be considered. In this regard, Applicants note 37 C.F.R. 1.97(f) states that if a bona fide attempt was made to comply with 1.98 but part of the required content is inadvertently omitted, additional time may be given to enable full compliance. Applicants respectfully submit that this provision applies

with respect to the instant case and therefore respectfully request that the Information Disclosure Statement be entered.

Respectfully submitted,



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